



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Michael Gauselmann

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ENTERTAINMENT AUTOMAT

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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

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SIR:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on April 10, 2002 and setting a shortened statutory period for response of one month to expire on May 10, 2002. Applicant petitions that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224. Applicant further respectfully requests that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

Please amend the application as follows: